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Police Investigating Homicide - UPDATE

On September 26th at 3:18 p.m. officers responded to the unit block of Pleasant Street for several reports of shots fired and a subject down. Officers located Walter Bryan, 46, of Annapolis on the sidewalk suffering from a gunshot. He was transported to Anne Arundel Medical Center where he died from his injuries. Detectives are actively investigating this homicide.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Annapolis Police Department detectives at 410-260-3439. You can also call Metro Crime Stoppers at 1-877-7LOCKUP and submit an anonymous tip. If your tip leads to an arrest or indictment you may be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$2,000.

UPDATE

On Thursday, September 29th, at 6:50 p.m. Antiwan Brown, 22, of Annapolis was arrested for the murder of Walter Bryan.

Investigation by Detectives from the Annapolis Police Department, with the help of information from members of the community, led to Brown being quickly identified as the suspect in this homicide. Detectives acted quickly to charge Brown with first and second degree murder, first and second degree assault, reckless endangerment, handgun on person, and use of a firearm in a felony or violent crime. Then, they worked relentlessly to locate and arrest Brown.

Brown was arrested in Baltimore with the help of the Baltimore Police Department. "The Annapolis Police Department will utilize every resource available to bring violent criminals to justice," said Chief Michael Pristoop. "We applaud the help and cooperation of the community and will continue to work in partnership with other agencies and our citizens to stop the violence."

"I commend the Annapolis Police Department for their around the clock dedication to the safety of our Annapolis citizens," said Mayor Michael Pantelides. "I'm happy to see that the additional resources I requested are assisting in positive outcomes such as this."

Detectives are still seeking information about this homicide. We urge anyone with information to come forward by calling our detectives at 410-260-3439. If people with information wish to remain anonymous, they can also contact the Annapolis Police Tip Line at 410-280-CLUE or Metro Crime Stoppers at 1-866-7LOCKUP.

Submitting Anonymous Tips to Metro Crime Stoppers of Maryland

Metro Crime Stoppers of Maryland is an organization separate from the Annapolis Police Department. When you text, phone in, or submit your Annapolis crime tip online Metro Crime Stoppers receives your tip anonymously and only forwards your tip information to the Annapolis Police Department. No identifying information is ever forwarded to us. Please be assured that only your tip is communicated from Metro Crime Stoppers to the police department, not any identifying information about you. Metro Crime Stoppers uses a special coding system to protect your identity, they do not use Caller ID or record telephone conversations. If your tip leads to the arrest or indictment of a person for a felony you could qualify for up to a \$2,000 cash reward from Metro Crime Stoppers. You can submit a tip by calling 1-866-7LOCKUP (1-866-756-2587), texting CRIMES (274637) or visiting www.metrocrimestoppers.org.

If Your Tip to the Hotline Leads to an Arrest and Indictment of the Individuals that Committed the Above Crimes, You may be Eligible for a Cash Reward of Up to \$2,000!!!

If you have information on the above crime contact:

Metro Crime Stoppers Hotline Toll Free 1-866-7LOCKUP.

You can also provide information confidentially online through

http://www.metrocrimestoppers.net/or

by texting "MCS plus your message" to CRIMES (274637)

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